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NOTE FOR : Chief, Information Services Group

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Per our conversation, attached are the covering memorandums for the Environmentally Sensitive Equipment Study. Again, please excuse our administrative error in not including your group in the original distribution.

Also, per our conversation, we are tentatively scheduling a briefing and informal discussion of the study for 0915 30 October, which we hope you and/or [redacted] can attend. The meeting will be chaired by the Director of Logistics with Directors of Communications; ELINT; Joint Computer Services; Planning, Programming, and Budgeting; and Weapons Intelligence or their representatives attending. The meeting will, hopefully, correct some misunderstandings of the thrust of the Study and permit determination of the course of planning for provision of future facilities for Environmentally Sensitive Equipment.

Please call if you have any questions. We will contact you regarding a firm date for the meeting.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of ELINT, DD/S&T
Director of Foreign Missile and Space Analysis
Center, DD/S&T
Director of Communications, DD/M&S
Director of Joint Computer Support, DD/M&S

SUBJECT : Study on Utilities Support of Environmentally Sensitive
Equipment in the Headquarters Building

1. Attached is an explanatory memorandum from the Director of Logistics to the Deputy Director for Management and Services regarding the attached study on utilities support of environmentally sensitive equipment in the Headquarters Building. It is requested that addressees review the study with respect to general concept and forward written comments to the Director of Logistics by 4 September 1973. Component comments will be collated and forwarded to the Deputy Director for Management and Services for further approval consideration.

2. Please contact [] Real Estate and Construction
Division, Office of Logistics, extension [] if further information
is desired.

/s/ Francis J. Van Damm

Francis J. Van Damm
Director of Logistics

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Joint Computer Support, DD/M&S

Dear Jack:

This memorandum transmits to you a complete package on "Proposed Replacement of Facilities Supporting Computers and Other Equipment Requiring Controlled Environment" that we recently submitted to Harold Brownman. As you will note, Harold's comments approve the "release of this study to the affected components" but, in lieu of doing that at this time, I prefer to send the package to you. As we both know, organizational and tactical/political considerations are involved as well as space and engineering.

It seems to me to make sense, accordingly, that we ask you to read this document, and then you, Glenn [redacted] and I sit down together and have a little chat about the matter. Would you be good enough to telephone me when you have it read, and we will establish a date to meet with you.

Signed: John F. Blake

John F. Blake
Director of Logistics

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Support

SUBJECT : Proposed Replacement of Facilities
Supporting Computers and Other Equipment
Requiring Controlled Environment

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation for your approval; such recommendation is contained in paragraph 6.

2. The attached study is forwarded for your information and consideration. Although this study contains a synopsis, it may be briefly summarized as a proposal to relocate the majority of Headquarters computer and other special-equipment areas on the ground floor (i.e., OCS, CRS, ISD, and AIB/OEL) to an area on the first floor south and somewhat adjacent to the Office of Communications (OC) Signal Center. The estimated cost for this relocation is \$3,700,000 for all Headquarters work plus up to \$1,000,000 for provision of rental space for temporarily dislocated Headquarters personnel (for a total estimated cost of up to \$4,700,000). Assuming optimum conditions, the relocation can be effected within two years from the date of approval.

3. As was recently highlighted by an Office of Computer Services (OCS) consultant's report, it has become increasingly apparent that the physical limitations of the areas and mechanical equipment supporting computers and other special equipment have been reached. This limitation constrains environmental conditions which, in turn, introduce risks to both maintenance of operation and protection of equipment and personnel. Environmental conditions vary between areas but are considered particularly severe in OCS and the Analysis Division, Office of ELINT (AIB/OEL).

4. The attached study analyzes conditions, explores alternative means of correction, and recommends for consideration a single course of action. Construction of a new building is considered but not recommended; partially because of political considerations of obtaining regulatory agency approvals, and primarily because construction would require a minimum of four years after establishing the building scope and obtaining necessary approvals. Another consideration for providing partial

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relief (costed in a previous study), is utilization of much of the Director of Central Intelligence's Garage. Use of the garage for this purpose is not recommended as it represents only a partial spatial solution and contributes nothing to centralization of utilities monitoring and control.

5. Major ongoing and programmed facilities projects affected to some degree by this proposal include the following:

- a. Expansion of B Vault,
- b. Installation of third chiller; Carrier Room,
- c. Provision of motor generator sets; OC, ISB, and CRS, and
- d. Renovation of Cable Secretariat and proposed relocation of sixth floor Datacom.

Impact on the first three projects would not be major; however, if the recommendations of the study are accepted, planning by OC for the Signal Center and Cable Secretariat areas should be modified as soon as possible.

6. Inasmuch as all Agency Directorates are involved in the proposed relocation, it is recommended that the study be circulated to affected components, including the Information Processing Board, with a request for written conceptual comments. The input from the affected components plus data contained in the study would then provide a basis for your decision on implementing procedures.

/s/ John F. Blake

John F. Blake
Director of Logistics

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The recommendation contained in paragraph 6 is approved.

(Signature of Harold L. Bowman)
HAROLD L. BOWMAN

Deputy Director for Support

4 Apr 73
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To #1:

If you decide to proceed with the recommendation in paragraph 6, we will be pleased to furnish you four additional copies of the black binder so that simultaneous circulation amongst the major components involved can be made.

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7. Director of Logistics
1206 Ames Building

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To #8:

Mr. Brownman has approved the release of this study to the affected components with the suggestion that CRS be dealt with through the Director, Joint Computer Support.

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Chief, DD/M&S Plans Staff
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